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CIRCULATING THROUGHOUT THE VAST AGRICULTURAL AREA OF PALM BEACH COUNTY



Willadene Todd Is Beauty Entrant

Miss Willadene Todd, a junior miss from the Seventh Grade at Pahokee Junior High School, is being sponsored by the Pahokee Junior Chamber of Commerce as a candidate for the title of queen of the Santa Claus Bowl at Lakeland to reign during the 11th annual National Boys' Football Championship game to be played there on Dec. 28.

The Santa Claus Bowl queen will be chosen during the halftime show at the game, the winner to receive a \$300 wardrobe and a trophy from the National Boys' Football Foundation.

Miss Todd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Todd, was selected by the Jaycees for sponsorship as a bowl queen contestant at a beauty contest held at the school Monday with 36 lovely junior misses participating. Runnersup were Miss Dotty Lair and Miss Hester Schultz. On the judging committee were Dr. Richard G. Lane, Oscar Dobrow, Frank Gillis, Hueston Connell and Donald Tarr.

Last September Miss Jean Brown, a member of the Pahokee High School Junior Class, was a beauty queen contestant under the sponsorship of the Pahokee Jaycees at the World's Softball Tournament at Clearwater, and won first place with the title of Miss World Softball Tournament for 1957.

Heine Graham Is Hurt In Car Mishap

H. C. (Heine) Graham was admitted to the Everglades Memorial Hospital Tuesday for treatment of injuries and shock received in a car accident on Okeechobee Road near West Palm Beach about a mile east of SR 7.

The accident occurred around 9 a. m. when Mr. Graham in applying brakes to slow down before reaching a "men at work" sign lost control of his car which left the highway and traveled 93 feet before overturning, according to Trooper L. D. Harrell.

While out of control the car struck a group of road workers from the Loxahatchee State Prison Camp, injuring five of the men who were taken to St. Mary's Hospital for treatment. Two were returned to the Camp after treatment for minor injuries.

Most counties in the Central and Southern Florida Flood Control District have a total water area equivalent to one twelfth their land area.

Sight Fund Upped By Dutch Auction

The Pahokee Lions Club raised \$37.77 for its sight conservation fund at a Dutch auction conducted during the Tuesday luncheon meeting with President J. H. Wilkinson, Jr., presiding. Articles donated to the club by F. M. Shaughnessy of the Glades Equipment Company and by F. S. Parrish of Parrish Jewelry were used in the auction.

Gotta Toy To Give Some Unfortunate

Who has toys? Toys that have been stored away and half-forgotten in some corner of a closet or attic. Toys, used or otherwise, which if again put to use would bring joy to the hearts of underprivileged children. Do you have such toys tucked away somewhere in your home?

Pahokee Boy Scouts, Troop 628, in their Operation Christmas are collecting these toys and fixing them up to present as gifts during the Yuletide season to children who need such gifts and will appreciate them. From the collection made in the house-to-house canvass last Saturday Scout work details have already gift wrapped 223 toys for distribution but they don't have enough to go around.

The big freeze last week makes it more essential than ever that there be gifts for every child on the list. If you have toys to contribute to this cause, please bring them to Scoutmaster Louis Mims' home at 403 Cypress Ave., or telephone 7105 or 7133 for a pickup of the toys.

The Scouts are dipping into the Troop treasury for the funds to purchase \$60 worth of candy for the Christmas treats they will distribute to the children in Operation Christmas. Ten bushels of citrus fruit is being donated for the treats by Hugo Boe, the Scouts to pick the fruit from Mr. Boe's grove. Williamson's Fruit Stand is obtaining the nuts and apples for the treats at cost price for the Scouts.

FAMILIAR FACE AT JACK'S

A familiar face is to be seen at Jack Spencer's Market since Frank Rozelle went to work there. Frank has had many years experience in the merchandise retailing line, having worked at Kahn's for many years, and most recently he has been selling Fords for an Okeechobee concern. His many friends will be glad to know that he is to be associated with the popular food emporium known throughout the Glades for its fair and friendly service.



To All of Our Friends:

For the 24th time it is my sincere pleasure and privilege to extend Greetings of the Season to my thousands of friends in Palm Beach County and South Florida. Words, of course, are inadequate in it, comes to expressing deep appreciation for all of the fine favors which you have sent my way. It is my earnest desire that next year, when we mark up the 25th Christmas in Canal Point, that I shall be right here, well and able to send forth another greeting in which I shall wish you health, wealth and happiness during the Yuletide Season and throughout the New Year.

PAUL RARDIN, Publisher
The Everglades News.

L. G. Alderman Is Hurt In Car Wreck

L. G. Alderman, well-known Pahokee grower and former merchant, was seriously injured around 10 a. m. Saturday morning when the 1954 Chevrolet sedan he was driving west on SR 700 crashed into a roadside pine tree and was completely demolished.

Trooper R. L. Wetherington, who investigated, reported that tire marks indicated Mr. Alderman was trying to avoid hitting something on the highway when the crash occurred.

The injured man was taken to the Everglades Memorial Hospital where he was given treatment for a severe cut and lacerations on the face and chest injuries before being transferred to a West Palm Beach hospital.

Musical Program By Osceola Camp

Pupils of the Third and Fourth Grades from the Osceola Camp School at Belle Glade presented a Christmas musical program at the dinner meeting of the Canal Point Lions Club Monday night. Carl Crawford was chairman in charge of program arrangements. The club made plans for a ladies' night program on Jan. 13. Manning I. Keen, past president of the Pahokee Lions Club, was a visitor.

Girl Scouts Make Decorations

Mrs. Jess M. Elliott, junior gardens chairman for the Pahokee Garden Club, showed members of Pahokee Girl Scout Troop 38 the technique of making Christmas decorations at the troop meeting at the First Methodist Church. Mrs. E. C. Johnson, troop leader, and Mrs. Gordon Hillier, assistant troop leader, were in charge of arrangements for the demonstration which was also viewed by members of Troops 164 and 4, who were guests of Troop 38.

Blue Devil Basket Team Wins First

The Pahokee High Blue Devils opened their basketball season Saturday night with a 41-21 victory over McArthur High of West Hollywood.

This was a home game played in the Belle Glade gymnasium because of the fire last month which partly destroyed the old Pahokee High School gym, making the basketball court unfit for use. Jim Eagle and Richard Phillips, veterans of last year's team, led in the scoring for the Blue Devils, accounting for 18 and 10 points, respectively. Pahokee led at the half, 16-11.

In the hard fought preliminary B team game McArthur required (continued on page 8)

30 Boxes Prepared For Kids, Shut-Ins

Christmas boxes for 30 shut-ins and a large box for a group of children at the PHA farm labor camp were prepared by members of the Miriam Circle, Pahokee Methodist Woman's Society of Christian Service, at a workshop conducted at the home of Mrs. William S. Plumer Monday, with Mrs. John A. Dulany, chairman of the circle's project of the year, "visitations and assistance to the sick and shut-ins," in charge.

Included in the boxes were a variety of homemade cakes, cookies, candy, stuffed dates, individual pumpkin pies and guava jelly; also prayer reminders, church bulletins of Christmas cheer and Florida holly berries for decorations. The distribution of the boxes by the 18 members who participated in the workshop was set for Tuesday.

Prior to the workshop Mrs. James W. Vann, chairman, presided at the December meeting of the circle. Mrs. Ernest Maxwell reported the Miriam Circle has pledged \$604 for the current year of which \$249 has been paid to date. Mrs. L. J. Fraser announced the group will have a mission study during the January meeting.

Mrs. Milton Salvatore read the Christmas story from the Gospel of St. Matthew and Mrs. D. W. Cunningham gave a reading, "The Other Wise Man." Mrs. Leo Wroten, co-hostess, assisted Mrs. Plumer with the serving of refreshments.

"Prince Of Peace" By The Methodists

A special Christmas program, "The Prince of Peace," will be presented by the children of the junior, intermediates and senior departments of the Pahokee Methodist Church School in the church Monday, Dec. 23, at 7:30 p. m., with approximately 60 to take part.

The program is being directed by Mrs. Fern Frank and Mrs. Minter Collins, assisted by Mrs. Lloyd Hundley. Mrs. Marshall Lair is chairman in charge of general arrangements.

Following the program there will be a visit from Santa Claus with Christmas treats for everyone present.

BOOKKEEPING SERVICE

Theodore B. Wilson, formerly of Charleston, S. C., has opened a bookkeeping service in the mobile office of Vinson Henderson at 111 East Main St., Pahokee. Mr. Wilson, who has 20 years of experience in accounting, was bookkeeper at the County Market at Charleston before coming to Pahokee.

Four Circles Make Christmas Plans

The four circles of the Pahokee First Baptist Woman's Missionary Union at separate meetings at home of members made plans for Christmas. The Faye Taylor, Lucy Jones and Nina Briggs Circles voted to prepare Christmas baskets of food as their December home mission project. The Grace Jer-

gan Circle decided to buy a gift for the church kitchen instead of exchanging gifts among members, as has been the custom in the past.

CARD OF THANKS

The members of the Family of Mrs. Estelle Wooten are deeply grateful to all for the beautiful flowers and kindnesses shown in her recent death and burial.

The Family

Sorority Will Aid March On Polio

Miss Ann Donahoo, director of art at Pahokee High School, spoke on "Understanding Art" at a meeting of the Xi Alpha Mu Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi Sorority, at the home of Mrs. J. G. Thomas, Jr., Mrs. Lewis Friend, president, named Mrs. O. H. Chastain chairman of the Mothers' March on Polio which the chapter will sponsor in this area in January. It was announced the chapter's Christmas party and decorations contest will be held at the home of Mrs. Friend on Dec. 19, with Mrs. Mildred Schoeppe, co-hostess.

Holiday House Invites The Public

The Pahokee Garden Club invites the public to share in the viewing of its "Holiday House" project which features Yuletide decorations of distinction from the traditional to the ultra-modern, both interior and exterior settings.

The visitations to the various houses where the decorations will be displayed will take place this Friday night, Dec. 20, starting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Anderson on Bacom Point Road at 7 p. m. and ending at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William S. Plumer on East Main Street at 1 p. m. Refreshments will be served at the Plumer home.

DR. SEARS VISITS

Dr. and Mrs. Harlan Sears and two daughters of West Point, Miss., arrived in Canal Point Sunday for a ten day visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harlan H. Sears, Sr.

The colorful Spanish game of jai alai has entered its fifth season on Florida's West Coast with the opening of the new season at the Tampa Fronton.

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Big Increase Seen In State Population

DAYTONA BEACH—The Florida League of Municipalities, meeting in Daytona Beach during the annual convention of the association, was told that Florida would be eighth in population by 1965-70. Sam T. Dell, Jr., chairman of the Florida Development Commission,

told the 600 delegates Florida would rank eighth in the nation if 4,000 new residents continue to move into the state each week as they are now doing.

Dell said Florida received more than 50 per cent of the new business established in the United States between 1950 and 1956. During this same period retail sales climbed 85 per cent. He also said industry would give Florida raise

in average per capita income from \$1,654 annually to at least the national average of \$1,847.

New Town In Keys; First In 129 Years

KEY COLONY BEACH — Less than three years ago this little island was a wasteland of rugged coral rock, sand and mangrove swamp. Today this 365-acre residential and resort community is the second city to be established in the Florida Keys in 129 years, following a unanimous vote to incorporate by the citizens of Key Colony Beach.

Key West, the only other incorporated city in the Keys, attained city status in 1828.

The transformation of the wasteland into today's new city was accomplished almost single-handed by E. P. (Phil) Sadowski, 60-year old three-retired Detroit millionaire, who became the city's first mayor in last week's election.

A one-time poor Alabama farm boy, Sadowski made a million dollars before he was 35 years old. Ill health caused his "retirement" to Florida where he successively amassed another fortune in hotel and home building in Pensacola, later in Miami and finally in the Florida Keys.

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CHRISTMAS TREE

DO'S AND DON'TS

Every year, from a few days before Christmas to the week following New Year's, tragedy stalks up and down the country—tragedy in the form of needless fires. It is indeed ironic that many of these fires result from the extra hazards which exist only during the holiday season and from carelessness which would not be tolerated any other time. Follow this list of do's and don'ts—and don't let it happen to you.

DO cut a growing tree, or if you buy, be sure it hasn't dried out from prolonged storage.

DON'T get a tree any larger than you need—the larger the tree, the greater the hazard.

DO stand the tree in water or snow outdoors until you're ready to use it indoors.

DON'T use candles on the tree or nearby where there is any chance for an open flame to contact the tree or combustibles piled beneath the tree.

DO support the tree well, away from sources of heat (fireplaces, radiators, etc.).

DON'T plug too many cords into one outlet.

DO make certain that all tree lighting is turned off before retiring or leaving the house.

DON'T allow smoking near the tree amidst decorations or piles of wrappings; have plenty of safe ashtrays around and use them.

DO use non-combustible material (metal, glass, asbestos, etc.) for decorating the home whenever possible.

DON'T let Christmas wrappings accumulate in the home; place them in metal covered trash barrel or burn them in incinerator as soon as possible.

"THE OTHER WISE MAN"

The morning worship service in the Canal Point Baptist Church will have as a special feature the dramatic presentation of that world famous Christmas story "The Other Wise Man." The pastor, Charles D. Stewart will give the story.

Improved pastures account for more than 752,000 acres in the Central and Southern Florida Flood Control District.

FATHER PETRIE'S 38th ANNIVERSARY

On Saturday of this week, feast of the Apostle St. Thomas, Father John Clarence Petrie, vicar of St. Martin's Episcopal church, Clewiston, will observe the 38th anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood. He will offer the Holy Eucharist that morning at 7:30 On St. Martin's.

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PERSONAL NEWS NOTES

Lt. (jg) David W. Ramey, USN, who is stationed at the Patuxent River Naval Base in Maryland, arrived Tuesday to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Ramey, in Pahokee.

The Pahokee Chapter, Future Farmers of America, was represented at the FFA District meeting in Clewiston by President Eddie Vertommen, Earl Kelly and John Usher.

Mrs. Ray Raulerson and Mrs. Melvin Spooner were called to Brookier, Fla., the past week by the death of their brother, Everett Gainey.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Murphy have as guests her mother, Mrs. G. Schweizer, of Maywood, N. J.

Mrs. Helen Schroder expected to have as holiday guests her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Smith, and daughters, Sandy and Rusty, of Narberth, Pa.

The Rev. Wayne Owens and son, Hal, will spend Christmas with his mother in South Carolina while Mrs. Owens is visiting their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Owens at Plant City.

Dr. and Mrs. E. W. Brandes left the past week by plane for a visit in New York City.

Dr. and Mrs. William T. Gist have as a guest through the holidays her mother, Mrs. D. L. Johnson of Sparta, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Schroder of West Palm Beach will spend Christmas in Pahokee with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Schroder.

Mr. and Mrs. Delmar L. Hooks have as guests their grandsons, Jet and John Harris of West Palm Beach.

Annie Lee Boyd To Wed Hershel Brewster

Plans have been announced for the wedding of Miss Annie Lee Boyd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ancil G. Boyd, former residents of Pahokee now living in Miami, and Hershel Brewster of War, West Va.

The wedding will take place at the First Missionary Baptist Church on Canal Street, Canal Point, Dec. 21, at 8 p. m. with the Rev. Roe Johnson, pastor, to officiate at the double ring ceremony.

Miss Betty Jean Boyd will be her sister's maid of honor. Bridesmaids will be Mrs. Mildred Thomas, Miss Virginia Boyd and Miss Hazel Boyd.

Buddy Brewster of Belle Glade

will serve as his brother's best man. Raul Boyd, Clarence Boyd and James Thomas will be ushers.

Patricia Mae Thomas and Barbara Boyd, nieces of the bride, will be flower girls. Charles and Roy Boyd, nephews of the bride will be ring bearers.

The reception following the ceremony will be held in the Woman's club building at Pahokee.

SORORITY SPEAKER

Mrs. C. G. Goodling of West Palm Beach was guest speaker at a meeting of the Beta Omicron Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi Sorority, at the home of Mrs. Richard Nason with Mrs. Lois White, president, presiding. Introduced by Mrs. Nason the speaker gave a talk on "Interior Decoration for Modern Homes."

Funeral Services For C. P. Resident

Funeral services for Adam Erbe, 51, of Canal Point were held in the chapel of Wetherington's Funeral Home, Pahokee, Tuesday at 10 a. m., with the Rev. Charles Stewart, pastor of the Canal Point Baptist Church, officiating.

Mr. Erbe had suffered ill health at his home for a long period before he was taken to the Everglades Memorial Hospital Saturday, dying there shortly after arrival. He was a native of Germany and had been a resident of Canal Point for 20 years.

He was survived by one daughter, Mrs. Ethel O'Rear, of Miami. Burial was in Miami.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Don Wilson of Pahokee announce the birth of a daughter on December 15th. The young lady weighed 6 lbs. 5 ozs. and has been named Terry Lynn.

Mr. and Mrs. James Brady (Annell Mooney) of Pahokee announce the birth of a daughter, Janell, at the Everglades Memorial Hospital, Pahokee, Dec. 12.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Harper (Barbara Lance) of Chosen announce the birth of a son, Joseph James, Jr., Dec. 14.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Tootle (Edna Johnston) of Pahokee announce the birth of a son, Dec. 11.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mills (Betty Harrison) of Pahokee announce the birth of a daughter, Phoebe Jean, Dec. 10.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harris (Mary Helen Hooks) of West Palm Beach announce the birth of a son, James Bryant, at Good Samaritan Hospital, Dec. 13. Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Hooks of Canal Point are the maternal grandparents.

Students Attend N. Carolina Colleges

Jack Moody of Belle Glade was graduated from Appalachian State Teachers College, Boone, N. C., at the end of the fall quarter and is now teaching school at York, S. C. Mr. Moody and his wife, the former Joyce Lynn Hurt of Pahokee, and their infant son, John Allen, have moved to York where they will make their home while he is teaching there.

Hugh Graham Miller, III, was also a graduate of ASTC at the end of the fall quarter. His wife, the former Phoebe Anne Ramey of Pahokee, is a Junior at ASTC. Mr. and Mrs. Miller are continuing to make their home in the Tripp Apartments at Boone where he is engaged in teaching and postgraduate work and she is still enrolled as a student at the college.

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 9:45 a. m.—Sunday School
 11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship
 6:30 p. m.—Training Union
 7:30 p. m.—Evening Worship
WEDNESDAY:
 7:30 p. m.—Prayer Meeting.

St. Peter's Lutheran Church, Belle Glade

Erwin J. Baumgartner, Pastor
 601 W. Lake Rd., Belle Glade
SUNDAY:
 Divine Services 11 A. M.
 School 9:45 A. M.

The Church Of God Of Prophecy, Pahokee

Canal Point Road
 John H. Kinard, pastor
 10:00 a. m.—Sunday School
 11:00 a. m.—Preaching Service
 7:45 p. m.—Evangelistic Service
 3:00 p. m. Tuesday—V. L. B.
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SUNDAY SERVICES:
 9:45 a. m.—Sunday School.
 11:00 a. m.—Sunday Worship.
 6:30 p. m.—Juniors.
 7:00 p. m.—Sunday Evening Evangelistic Service.
WEDNESDAY:
 7:30 p. m.—Midweek Prayer meeting.
 "Where you are a stranger but once".

The Methodist Church Canal Point, Florida

Rev. L. A. Sparks
SUNDAY:
 10:00 a. m.—Church School
 11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship
 6:30 p. m.—Youth Fellowship
 7:30 p. m.—Evening Worship
TUESDAYS:
 7:30 p. m.—Youth Choir Practice
 7:30 p. m.—Woman's Society 1st and 3rd Tuesdays
2nd MONDAY:
 7:30 p. m.—Esther Class Meeting
WEDNESDAY:
 7:30 p. m.—Prayer Meeting
 8:15 p. m.—Choir Practice

Church Of God, Barfield Highway

9:45 A. M.—Sunday School
 11:00 A. M.—Morning Worship
 7:00 P. M.—L. W. W. B. (Parsonage)
 7:30 P. M.—Evening Worship
 7:30 P. M. Tuesday—Prayer Meeting
 7:30 P. M. Friday—Children's Church
 7:30 P. M. Friday—Y. P. E.

Holy Nativity Episcopal Church Pahokee

M. Wendell Hainlin, Vicar
SUNDAY:
 10 a. m.—Sunday School
 11 a. m.—Worship Service

St. Mary's Catholic Church

Rev. Father C. C. Anderson
SUNDAY MASSES
 First and Second Sunday 11 a. m.
 All Other Sundays, 8 a. m.

First Baptist Church, Pahokee

Rev. James E. Boyd, pastor
SUNDAY SERVICES:
 9:45 a. m.—Sunday School
 11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship
 6:45 p. m.—Training Union
 8:00 p. m.—Evening Worship
WEDNESDAY:
 8:00 p. m.—Prayer Meeting.

Christian Science Group Of Canal Point

"Is the Universe, Including Man, Evolved by Atomic Force?" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon at Christian Science services Sunday.

Luke's account of the birth of Jesus will be included in the Scriptural readings. Correlative passages from "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy will include the following (315:21-24): "Jesus' spiritual origin and understanding enabled him to demonstrate the facts of being,—to prove irrefutably how spiritual Truth destroys material error, heals sickness, and overcomes death."

The Golden Text is from Amos (4:13): "He that formeth the mountains, and createth the wind, and declareth unto man what is

his thought, that maketh the morning darkness, and treadeth upon the high places of the earth, The Lord, The God of hosts, is his name."

MARY MARTHA CIRCLE

Mrs. Robert B. Simonson gave two readings, "Hope of Christmas" and Peter Marshall's "Let's Keep Christmas", at the December meeting of the Mary Martha Circle, Pahokee Methodist WSCS, held Monday night in the home of Mrs. Ralph O. Johnson, with Mrs. Jess M. Elliott, chairman, presiding. Mrs. Johnson gave the devotionals, "You are Our Witness."

First Methodist Church, Pahokee

Rev. Wayne Owens

SUNDAY:
 9:45 a. m.—Church School
 11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship
 6:45 p. m.—MYF
 7:45 p. m.—Evening Worship
TUESDAY:
 7:00 p. m.—Vesper Choir practice
WEDNESDAY:
 7:45 p. m.—Mid-week devotions
 8:30 p. m.—Senior Choir practice.

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Advertisements



From where I'm sittin'... by Joe Marsh

Personal Treasures

Had some young folk visit last weekend. Nice tidy kids. They're talking about modern living and all and started clearing out the shed. They piled all kinds of boxes and things out to be hauled to the dump. They were surprised when I put a lot of it back in the shed and told 'em I just wanted to keep it. They tried to explain that it was no good to me and I shouldn't be so durned old-fashioned.

From where I'm sittin' it's awful easy for some people to get carried away with other peo-

ple's affairs. Take another thing for example, I like a glass of ale or beer in the evening. I get a lot of pleasure out of it because I like the flavor. Now it's hard for me to see why people want to come 'roun an' throw my stuff out of the shed, but it's a lot harder to see why other people want to stop me from enjoyin' my evening refreshment.

Joe Marsh



from your

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Books for CHRISTMAS

When you start buying presents to fill the stockings belonging to younger children and relatives, don't overlook the versatility of books. Good books are a good buy, because they can be educational and appealing to children, and at the same time inexpensive to you.

In selecting children's books, be sure the subject matter is both accurate and interesting to the child and his particular age.

Story books for preschool children should be realistic, with colorful pictures and a simple narrative. Avoid fantastic stories and abstract pictures because preschoolers haven't yet separated the real from the unreal.

Color books are better for older children than for preschool youngsters. Preschoolers cannot keep inside the lines and may become discouraged. The lines hamper their creativity. Give them instead blank pieces of paper to color.

Information books having large pictures, with details about each picture, are good for preschoolers, often giving them ideas for play.

Books are appropriate Christmas gifts, are helpful to children and are easy on the pocketbook.

The Florida National Guard can again enlist 17-year-olds and other young men who have had no prior service experience. Such enlistments were halted this fall because of a plan requiring new men to attend a six-month service school.

The Florida Development Commission says Florida has been boosted to rank 8th in population among the nation's 48 states. The state's population is growing at the rate of 4,400 new residents a week.



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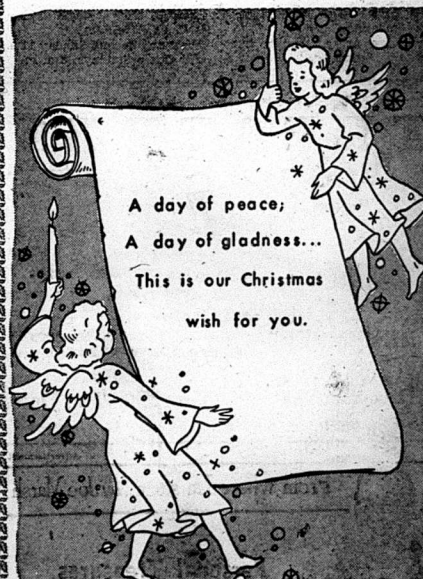


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Our Christmas Replaced Early Pagan Festivals

Long before the birth of Christ, the Greeks, Romans, Saxons and Scandinavians were taking part in December festivals.

From the Saxons came the ceremony of burning the Yule log. The Saxons burned great bonfires in honor of their god Thor. From the Romans came the giving of presents, for this custom has been traced to the Roman Saturnalia.

It may seem strange to say that pagan riotousness might be the forebear of the Christian holiday of goodness and love, but intermingled with that which was objectionable, were things that have gone straight to the hearts of people throughout the Christian world.

And, although few people know it, it was for the purpose of substituting a Christian festival for pagan ones of Romans and Druids that celebrations of Christmas in December were first encouraged and popularized.


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Sending Cards Is Old Holiday Tradition

The custom of sending Christmas cards has grown so popular through the years that each year an average of one and one-half billion cards are mailed.

Some historians suggest that the idea of sending Christmas cards originated with school boys away from home, who wrote their letters on fancy paper and in fancy writing.

William Egley sent out a Christmas greeting on a fancy card in 1842 which showed his artistic and engraving talent. The card carried the message, "A Merry Christmas and Happy New Year."

In 1846, Henry Cole, a middle class Englishman, sent Christmas cards which depicted a Victorian family gathered at the festive board and which carried the message "A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to You."

The cards brought fame and popularity to Henry Cole, but it was two decades before Christmas cards were sold generally.



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Blue Devils Basket—

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an overtime period to edge Pahokee, 35-36.

The Blue Devils were scheduled to play the Stuart Tigers in another home game in the Belle Glade gym last night.

There will be no games through the Christmas holidays. The remainder of the Pahokee High basketball schedule for the current season, with all home games to be played in the Belle Glade High gym, is as follows:

Jan. 7—Belle Glade, there
Jan. 10—Pompano, there
Jan. 14—Fort Pierce, there
Jan. 17—L. Worth, Belle Glade
Jan. 21—Seacrest, there
Jan. 24—Vero Beach, Belle Glade
Jan. 28—McArthur, there
Jan. 31—Clewiston, Belle Glade
Feb. 4—Stuart, there
Feb. 7—Belle Glade, there
Feb. 8—Okeechobee, there
Feb. 10—Pompano, Belle Glade
Feb. 14—Ft. Pierce, Belle Glade
Feb. 18—Lake Worth, there
Feb. 21—Seacrest, there
Feb. 22—Vero Beach, there
Feb. 27 through Mar. 1 group tournament.

Operetta Given
For PTA Members

The children of Mrs. Buleah Boe's Fourth Grade room at the Pahokee Elementary School presented a Christmas operetta at the December meeting of the Pahokee Parent-Teacher Association held in the high school auditorium Monday night.

The operetta was under the direction of Miss Ellen Morgan, vocal music instructor at Pahokee Schools, and Mrs. Boe, Miss Anita Cowart was the piano accompanist.

Principal Brooks Henderson presided at the business session in the absence of the president, Mrs. Roy Vandegrift, Jr.

Canal Point Methodist
Church Program

The Christmas program of the Methodist church will be held in the church on Monday night December 23rd at 7:30 p. m. An interesting program is planned. At the close of the program Santa Clause will pay his annual visit and enjoy the evening with the children.

On Tuesday night of this week the Esther Class of the Methodist church held its annual Christmas party at the parsonage. There were 20 members and friends present. Delicious refreshments were served and all present had an enjoyable evening.

On Saturday night December 21st the Young People's Class of the Methodist Sunday School will meet in the Primary Department to decorate the Christmas tree. The teacher is Stanley Hooks. The ladies will serve refreshments during the evening.

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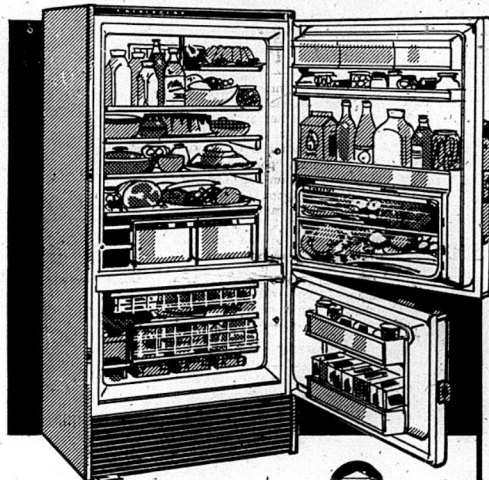
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Cinematic Chatter

By Malcolm Millar

Hello everybody! Born in New York City as Sabino Tomas Gomez, better known now as Thomas Gomez, he attended public school Number 17 and later Jamaica High School on Long Island. There he won a nationwide contest by reading twenty lines of a Falstaff speech from "King Henry 14." At the dramatic school where Gomez won his contest was the famous Shakespearean actor Walter Hampden who took the boy into his own company. Gomez made his professional debut in "Cyrano de Bergerac" in 1924. For the next seven years he played a variety of roles before joining a dramatic company in Cleveland, Ohio. Where he did forty leading characters. In 1935 Gomez affiliated with the Lunts with whom he remained another seven years. His contract with Universal Pictures — was signed in 1942; Gomez is of Spanish descent as his legal name indicates. His maternal grandmother was born in Gibraltar and came to New Orleans in 1842 where she married a distinguished banal officer, Frank Thomas. Despite his family ties in New Orleans, Gomez remains a New Yorker at heart. He still keeps house on Long Island, where his mother lives. See you at the movies—Mal.

Sunday Night Is Christmas Program

The special Christmas program and worship services for the Canal Point Baptist Church will be held Sunday night in the Community Building, beginning at 6 p. m. with a church-family "pot-luck" supper. Then a program of Christmas scriptures, prayers, carol singing and a special message by the Pastor will follow. Before the services are concluded gifts will be distributed to the young boys and girls in attendance. There will be no services in the church house Sunday night.

Batchelor - Watson

Mrs. Ollie Batchelor of Pahokee announces the engagement of her daughter, Arlene, to Troy Watson, BT3 U. S. Navy, son of Julian Watson of Canal Point.

Miss Batchelor was graduated from Pahokee High School with the Class of 1954 and attended the Charron-Williams Commercial College at Miami. She is now employed as service representative of the Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company at Belle Glade.

Mr. Watson attended school in Jasper, Fla., and received his diploma after entering the Navy in 1955. He is now serving aboard the USS Norris with home port at Newport, R. I.

Plans are being made for a January wedding.

Cecil Mae Ogle Weds Robert Nance

Miss Cecil Mae Ogle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Walter Ogle of Lake City, Tenn., became the bride of Alvis Robert Nance of Canal Point in a single ring ceremony held at Knoxville, Tenn., Monday afternoon, Dec. 9, with B. F. Chanaberry, justice of peace, officiating.

The bride wore a light blue street-length dress of Nylon with matching accessories. Her mother was a witness to the wedding.

Mrs. Nance received her education at the Jacksboro High School, Jacksboro, Tenn., and at the time of her marriage was a member of the school's Junior Class.

Mr. Nance, son of Mrs. Rosa Nance and the late Alvis Nance, is a native of Lake City, Tenn., and for the past nine years has been a resident of Canal Point, coming here with Mr. and Mrs. John Ridenour who raised him from childhood. He is an employee of the B. A. Russell Co., Inc.

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